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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. 1.27

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Examiner Name	James A. Thompson
Art Unit	2624
Attorney Docket No.	03500.015547

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1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES	
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description

Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent

Small Entity

Fee (\$) Fee (\$)

50 25

Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent

200 100

Multiple dependent claims

360 180

Total Claims

Extra Claims

Fee (\$)

Fee Paid (\$)

Multiple Dependent Claims

6 - 20 or HP = 0 x 0 = 0
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$)
0 0

Indep. Claims

Extra Claims

Fee (\$)

Fee Paid (\$)

1 - 3 or HP = 0 x 0 = 0
HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3

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4. OTHER FEE(S)

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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: James A. Thompson
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	:	Group Art Unit: 2624
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

Introductory Comments

In response to the Official Action mailed August 9, 2005, the Examiner is requested to amend the above-identified application as follows.